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Petitioner(s): Jeffrey R. Martin, et al.

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For: SURGE RELIEF VALVE

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PETITION FOR EXPEDITED LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING (35 U.S.C. §184 and 37 CFR §5.14)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Honorable Sir:

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The above-identified Petitioners hereby request issuance of an expedited license under 35 U.S.C. §184 to foreign file the above-identified patent application.

Authorization to charge Deposit Account 50-0822 in the amount of \$130.00 is attached.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The subject matter of the attached application for which an expedited export license to foreign file is sought relates to a surge relief valve in a safety relief system for a pressure vessel. More particularly, the claimed invention relates to an improved surge relief valve for use in liquid product pipelines.

It is the opinion of the undersigned attorney that the subject matter of the captioned patent application is not of strategic importance to the defense of the United States and the license export the technology can therefore be granted.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR DELIVERY

In view of the urgency of this request, it is courteously requested that initial notification of the approval of the petition for an expedited export license be communicated by facsimile (facsimile number below).

It is also requested that the foreign filing license be mailed as follows:

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